

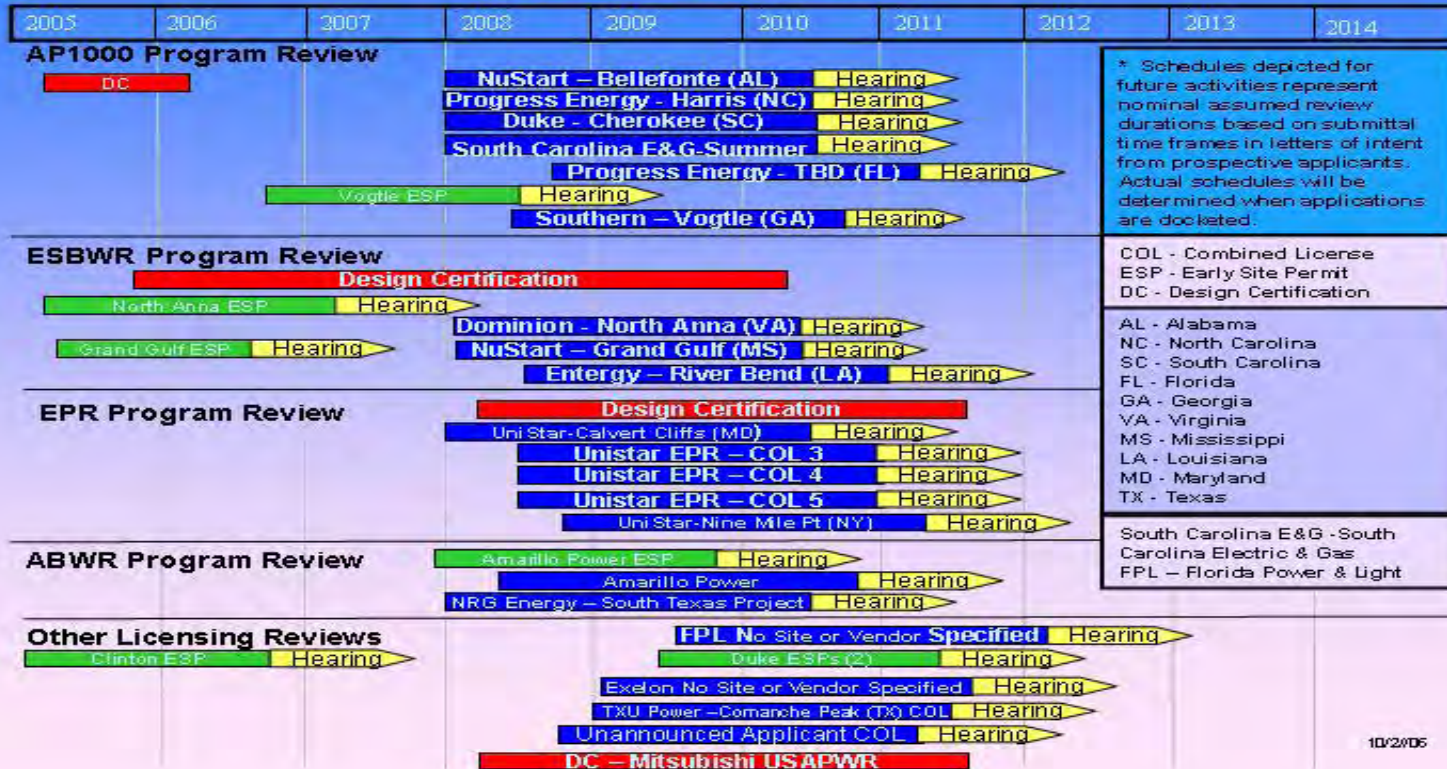
STATUS OF NEW REACTOR ISSUES

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New Reactor Licensing Applications

An estimated schedule by Fiscal Year



10/2/06

Integrated Transition

- Success for both offices
- Balanced human resources
- Timed for:
 - Knowledge management
 - Completion of existing casework
 - Support of new applications

Integrated Transition

- Strong management teams
- Supports consistency
- Applying lessons learned
- Hiring to Fiscal Year 2008 needs

Qualification Plans

- Develop qualified regulators
- Train large numbers
- Apply standard process
- Transfer knowledge

Current Application Review Activities

- Early site permits for Clinton, Grand Gulf, North Anna, and Vogtle
- ESBWR design certification

Draft Guide - 1145

- Draft issued September 7
- Public comment period ending October 21
- Issue final guide with final rule, January 2007

Standard Review Plan and Regulatory Guides

- Revise by March 2007
- Multiple public meetings

Pre-application Review Activities

- Topical reports related to EPR, AP1000 designs, and Quality Assurance programs

Pre-application Review Activities

- Inspections related to site characteristics for potential Combined License applicants
- Meetings with design-centered working groups

Status of Rulemaking

- Part 52 final rule - due to Commission October 31, 2006
- Limited Work Authorization supplemental proposed rule - Staff Requirements Memoranda issued 10/2 (Public 10/3)

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- Security Assessment proposed rule sent to Commission 9/28
- Physical security proposed rule to be published late October

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- Fitness for duty final rule to Executive Director for Operations 12/18/2006
- Section 20.1406 proposed rule due to Commission 3/30/2007

Integration and Coordination

- Business Process Integrator
- Outreach briefings:
 - Council on Environmental Quality
 - Congressional Staff
- Master Integrated Schedule